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TOWN AND COUNTRY

About Local People and Events and Other Matters of Interest

Colorado celery, 3 large bunches for 25c. Carothers & Allen.

For rent: A good room furnished or unfurnished. R. L. Stratton.

Green house chrysanthemums for sale by Miss Sarah Moss, phone 33.

The L. C. T. club will meet with Mrs. J. H. Nichols next Thursday afternoon.

No. 2½ size sliced Hawaiian pineapple only 20 cents per can. Carothers & Allen.

L. N. and Chas. Bundren were here from Linneus on telephone business last Monday.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Landree on Rosair farm was wired this week for electric lights.

Flour bought now will save you money. Zephyr flour is invariably higher after the holidays. Kraft & Brenner.

New Club House raisins, 15 ounce package, fancy large 4 crown raisins, 2 packages 25 cents at Carothers & Allen's.

The high cost of living wouldn't be so high if folks would buy enough Zephyr flour in November to last through the winter. Kraft & Brenner.

Prof. and Mrs. J. E. Marsh of Ludlow attended the state teachers association at Kansas City last week and came here Friday evening to visit relatives over Sunday.

Fred Clinefelter returned to Columbia last Sunday where he is enrolled in the agricultural department of the state university, after spending a couple of days with home folk.

Manager Maybee is now showing the greatest picture plays ever shown in Laclede. "The Man of the Hour," in five acts is the program for Friday night of this week. Don't miss it.

The Eastern Star chapter entertained a number of visitors from Brookfield, Browning and other places Monday night. There was initiatory work after which refreshments were served.

There will be a coffee demonstration at Kraft & Brenner's store next Saturday. Drop in and be refreshed with a cup of the best coffee you have tasted for some time or perhaps never tasted its equal before.

Harry Rawn, a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fletcher of Laclede, is in a hospital at Missoula, Mont., with both feet off as the result of an accident on the Northern Pacific railroad. Rawn was reared in Brookfield but had been railroad-ing in the west for several years.

R. T. Wallace is home from spending several weeks with his wife who is ill in California. She was not able to return home with him. Mrs. Wallace is in California looking after some property interests she has there. Mr. Wallace brought some oranges home that are the largest ever seen here.

Dr. T. D. Fawcette, who has been located at Gallatin for some time, bought a beautiful residence on Benton boulevard in Kansas City and with his family removed to that city last week. Dr. Fawcette is a hustler and deserves the best and has it. He bought a new car last spring and says he will now enjoy some real good motoring.

House-Robber Caught

On returning home about 8 o'clock last Sunday evening from a 200 mile automobile trip, Geo. W. Anderson and family found their residence had been broken into and robbed of clothing and other articles. The bloodhounds were secured at once from Meadville but on account of the dust and high wind they were unable to follow the trail very far. As the robbery had been committed in the middle of the afternoon a good description of a suspicious character seen going south on the railroad was secured. The next day Carlos Anderson and E. B. Gudgell, who was assisting in the hunt, captured a fellow in Sumner wearing some of Carlos' clothes. He was brought to Laclede and taken before Justice Garside and bound over to the circuit court and taken to jail. He gave his name as Jas. Brown, and implicated a fellow by the name of Clark, whom he said he was to meet again in Chillicothe Tuesday afternoon. Officers were sent there but they failed to locate him. Brown recently completed a 90 day sentence in the county jail for housebreaking in Brookfield. He is not known here.

Missionary Society Meeting

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society met with Mrs. H. C. Carothers last Thursday afternoon. The president, Mrs. Bigger, opened the meeting after which Mrs. Etta Foreman gave a most excellent lesson from the new study "The King's Highway." Chapter 1, "Along Old Mission Trails." Mrs. J. E. Welsh had charge of the mystery box and was assisted by Mrs. J. L. Burke, Mrs. Ira Duckworth and Mrs. Etta Foreman. All present enjoyed being at this meeting. The guests were Mrs. Max Jones, Mrs. M. P. Benson and Mrs. L. E. Hamilton. At the close of the Missionary meeting the Ladies Aid society held a short session. The hostess served refreshments assisted by Mrs. Max Jones.

Local and Personal

Sweet potatoes 3 cents per pound at Carothers & Allen's.

The Laclede football team goes to Linneus for a game Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Lomax bought a very fine player piano from S. M. Brown last week.

Holland brand mincemeat, 23 oz jars, the kind mother makes, 25c the jar. Carothers & Allen.

Miss Opal Ray of Bucklin is visiting at the home of W. H. Glover on route three this week.

Cold wave coming! Buy a Great Western heater, coal hod or other stove supplies from Carothers & Allen.

Mrs. C. C. Bigger attended a meeting of the W. F. M. society held at the home of Mrs. Bundren in Linneus last Friday.

Look up what you paid for flour last spring, then figure what you can save by buying a barrel of Zephyr flour now. Kraft & Brenner.

Paul S. Lomax returned to Columbia last Sunday after spending a day with home folk here. He had attended the state teachers association at Kansas City.

If you wish to renew your farm loan or want a new one, come in and see me as I can make you a loan and get the money on short notice. W. S. Savage.

ON LOCAL SUBJECTS

Local Items and Interesting Bits of News of All Sorts

L. B. Haley has substantially improved his residence property by moving the house back, making a larger front yard, putting a new foundation under it and building new porches.

"The Man of the Hour" at the opera house Friday evening of this week. This is one of the greatest successes of the American stage and is now to be seen as a feature film. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

V. E. Hogsett and J. Paul Jones have been drawn from this township to serve as petit jurors in the December term of circuit court to be held at Brookfield, while J. T. Hamilton will serve on the grand jury.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Macy, former citizens of Laclede now residing at Gardner, Kansas, enjoyed a visit last week from their daughter, Mrs. Mary Cotter of Denver, and also a visit from their son John. Another son, Sam, who recently retired from the United States navy, has bought property and permanently located at San Diego, Cal.

John C. Brown who has been in California for the past two weeks, motored, with his brother Dave from Los Angeles to San Diego and return in the latter's new Hupmobile, and reports a delightful trip. John has made several trips to the coast, having spent ten days there last May taking in the expositions.

J. A. Elliott of Jacksonville, Ill., was in Laclede and spent yesterday forenoon among old friends here where he was in business for a number of years. Mr. Elliott is town site agent and with the lumber and tie department of the Burlington and was on a business trip over the Missouri lines of the company.

Miss Emma Gould was hostess to Chapter R, P. E. O. at the regular meeting last Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. C. C. Bigger conducted an interesting lesson on "Household Management." The guests of the afternoon were Mrs. Cushing, Mrs. Downey and Misses Helga and Christina Johnson. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. Abbie Gould and little daughter Lois, served delicious refreshments.

Jas. T. Bassett, who had a sale a few weeks ago has rented his farm to Grover Peacher for next year and will shortly move to Laclede. Mr. Bassett last week bought the B. F. Thompson residence and will occupy it until spring when he expects to replace it with a new one. The people of Laclede are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Bassett buy property and become citizens of the town again.

For three days last week a school of Home Economics was held at the Rest Room under auspices of the local P. E. O. chapter and in charge of Miss Carrie Pancoast, a domestic science teacher of the college of agriculture, University of Missouri. Two sessions were held each day, one in the morning and another in the afternoon. In addition to members of the chapter a number of invited guests were in attendance. While here Miss Pancoast was a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Mattie Estes.

Reading Circle Meeting

The American Reading Circle met with Mrs. M. P. Benson Tuesday evening with a good attendance and all present were interested in this special meeting. Current events were related at roll call. After the business was attended to the annual election of officers was held, as follows:

Miss Laura Love, president; Mrs. F. F. Pratt, first vice president; Mrs. M. P. Benson, second vice president; Mrs. J. E. Welsh, secretary; Mrs. L. F. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. C. C. Bigger, librarian; Mrs. J. W. Lomax, assistant librarian; Mrs. J. B. Patrick, critic.

Mrs. H. E. Bundren had charge of the study, from chapters 17, 18 and 19. "The Far West," 1820 to 1830; chapter 18. American Social Characteristics; chapter 19, Plantation Life, 1830 to 1860. The lesson was nicely rendered. During the social hour the hostess served delectable refreshments being assisted by her little son Cornelius. The next regular meeting will be held with the new president, Miss Love.

Mrs. Mary A. Williams Dead

Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Mrs. M. A. Williams at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Archie Patrick at Boliver, which occurred that morning. The deceased was the widow of the late Major Alfred Williams and has been a resident of Laclede for many years, going to the home of her daughter several months ago. The remains will be brought to Laclede and the funeral held at the Methodist church Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in the Laclede cemetery.

The Poland China Sale

The public sale of Poland China hogs held by Keune Bros. in Laclede last Tuesday drew a large crowd. Forty-three pigs were disposed of. They were a fine bunch but owing to the prevalence of hog cholera in the county and the downward price of hogs did not average as high as at the sale last year. Prices at all blooded stock sales this season are from 25 to 50 per cent lower than last season, so reported by representatives of live stock papers who were here attending the sale. Keune Bros. are a leading factor in placing a better class of hogs upon the farms of this part of the state and a success at the business. Following is a list of the buyers at Tuesday's sale:

1. Boar, E. G. Cole, Sumner.....	\$25.00
2. Boar, F. B. Miller, Sumner.....	25.00
3. Boar, F. F. Welsh, Laclede.....	22.50
4. Boar, J. N. Hayes, St. Catherine.....	25.00
5. Boar, I. H. Clough, Sumner.....	17.50
6. Boar, J. Ed. Downey, Laclede.....	30.00
7. Boar, W. M. Bales, Hale.....	17.50
8. Sow, Frank Stelplugh, Meadville.....	20.00
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11. Boar, J. H. Peer, Laclede.....	22.50
12. Boar, Dudley Salee, Meadville.....	25.00
13. Boar, W. S. Savage, Laclede.....	22.50
14. Boar, W. R. Peacher, Laclede.....	17.50
15. Boar, A. P. Welsh, Laclede.....	12.50
16. Sow, E. C. Cole, Sumner.....	22.50
17. Boar, Sentsaffar Bros., Laclede.....	25.00
18. Boar, L. T. Rowland, Laclede.....	20.00
19. Boar, Geo. Wade, Laclede.....	30.00
20. Sow, A. H. Farrar, Brookfield.....	20.00
21. Sow, A. H. Farrar, Brookfield.....	20.00
22. Sow, Frank Stelplugh, Meadville.....	27.50
23. Sow, Frank Stelplugh, Meadville.....	27.50
24. Sow, Frank Stelplugh, Meadville.....	27.50
25. Boar, G. E. Stewart, Tins.....	30.00
26. Boar, Riley Williams, Hale.....	25.00
27. Boar, A. R. Forsyth, Tins.....	25.00
28. Sow, Frank Stelplugh, Meadville.....	20.00
29. Boar, Isaac Woolen, Meadville.....	25.00
30. Boar, Otis Thomas.....	17.50
31. Sow, S. D. Edwards, Sumner.....	22.50
32. Sow, S. D. Edwards, Sumner.....	22.50
33. Sow, S. D. Edwards, Sumner.....	22.50
34. Boar, E. F. Brenner, Laclede.....	25.00
35. Boar, E. H. Young, Brookfield.....	25.00
36. Boar, Roy Bailey, Laclede.....	20.00
37. Boar, Rufus Black, Meadville.....	22.50
38. Boar, S. D. Edwards, Sumner.....	17.50
39. Sow, A. R. Clark, Brookfield.....	15.00
40. Sow, A. H. Farrar, Brookfield.....	20.00
41. Sow, A. H. Farrar, Brookfield.....	20.00
42. Boar, D. E. Starr, Laclede.....	20.00
43. Sow, E. G. Cole, Sumner.....	20.00

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Brief Mention of Those Who Come and Go During the Week

J. L. Heath was transacting business at Linneus Monday.

John T. Cushing made a business trip to Linneus last Saturday. Rev. C. Allen went to St. Joseph Monday to visit friends a few days.

Miss Maud Matsell of Brunswick visited friends here last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Barton of Brookfield were in Laclede last Monday.

Ed. Inman, route one Brookfield, was a business visitor in Laclede last Friday.

Emil Brendahl and H. E. Brenner spent last Sunday afternoon in Chillicothe.

J. H. Nichols and family motored to Marceline and spent Sunday with friends.

Miss Flo Hunter of Browning was the guest of Miss Roxana Rankin last Sunday.

Miss Della Andrews visited Laclede friends this week, guest of Mrs. Ira Duckworth.

Miss Etta Power has returned from a two week's visit with relatives and friends in Illinois.

Mrs. John Abell of Linneus visited her brother, J. H. Brown, and family here last Friday.

Notice the display advertisement of O. A. Davis, photographer, on the fifth page of this paper.

Mrs. Ernest Woolley of Oklahoma City was the guest of Mrs. A. J. Caywood and family this week.

Miss Myrtle Harter, teacher at Oak Arbor, attended the state teachers' association at Kansas City last week.

Grover Peacher and Miss Daisy Ash spent last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Peacher southwest of town.

Mrs. J. H. Brown and Miss Minnie Trippier spent Saturday with their mother, Mrs. Catherine Trippier in Linneus.

Miss Ethel Kent spent Friday evening and Saturday with her sister, Miss Madge Kent, and Miss Florence Dye at Chillicothe.

Mrs. Luella Kessler came last Saturday from Kansas City for a visit with friends here, guest of Mrs. J. M. McDonnell.

Mrs. Peter Smith returned home last Friday from a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Della Glenn and family in Brookfield.

Mrs. F. G. Fiffeld returned home last Sunday from an extended visit in California. While there she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Baker at Santa Ana.

J. L. Welsh left last Saturday to superintend some improvements being made on his farm near Pyrene, Texas. He will be absent a couple of weeks.

Miss Lena Mendenhall, a student at Howard Payne college, Fayette, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Mendenhall at Brookfield, and made a short visit among Laclede friends Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mabel Kraft, principal of the Browning high school, on her return from attending the state teachers association at Kansas City, stopped off and spent Saturday and Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kraft.